The Platform Not Only Has a Prohibition But a Tariff Plank-A Full State Ticket Nominated-Presidential Electors Chosen.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., July 19 .- The Prohibition State convention assembled at two o'clock promptly yesterday afternoon when the welcoming address was delivered by Rev. C. H. Rodgers of the Sacred Heart Universalist church. The opera house was crowded, half the audience being ladies. The central committee introduced D. W.

Houston, of Garnett, as temporary chairman and Mrs. H. H. Grover as secretary. The usual committees were then appointed. A motion to appoint ex-Governor St. John an addition the committee on

After the committees had retired the Cincinnati, who spoke for an hour. The following are the committees:

On Credentials-W. H. Clasev, of Holton; W. M. Pasha, of Franklin; J. R. Dunlap and C. C. Hunter, of Lawrence; Mrs. Allison and G. W. Winterbourn, of Mitchell: J. L. Seward, of Sedgwick.

Permanent Organization-C. W. Wallace, of Jackson; Captain Clark, of Johnson; J. A. Wood and J. H. Byers, of Lyon; W. P. Brooks, of Cloud; J. S. Rock, of Jewell; W. H. Osborn, of Harvey.

On Platform-Ex-Governor J. P. St John, H. B. Callahan and Mrs. A. G. Diggs, of Douglas, C. W. Harvey, of Cherokee, P. E. Graves, of Woodson, D. W. Jewell, Rev. A. P. George, of Gray.

On Finance-B. Bradford, of Jefferson, S. H. Ayers, of Johnson, J. W. Forrest, of Neosho, W. E. Scott, of Marion, L. K. Kistler, of Marshall, J. A. Meyers, of McPherson, B. C. Bagley, of Jewell. Adjourned until to-morrow.

Second Day.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., July 20 .- The opera house was well filled when the State Prohibition convention was called to order at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning, about one-third of the audience being ladies, many of whom were delegates and W. C. T. U. members The committee on permanent organization reported as chairman C. W. Harvey, of Cherokee: secretary, Mrs. H. H. Grover, of Butler; first assistant secretary, H. C. Needham; second, Mrs. A. Allison. Mr. Harvey made a graceful speech of accept-

The convention then proceeded to the organization of a central committee with the following result: First district, George W. Drake, Holton; Second, C. H. Strong, Garnett; Third, H. C. Needham, Crawford; Fourth, E. B. Paten, Lyon; Fifth, R. J. Finlay, Anderson; Sixth, W. S. Wade, Lincoln; Seventh, H. W. Allen, Sumner An earnest effort was made to increase the committee to three from each district and four at large, but was voted down For committeemen at large the following were chosen by acclamation: Rev. A. Richardson, J. M. Monroe, Anna M. Diggs of adulteration in lard during the winter. did not seem to believe that any of the to know if I could get any of it and I told and Mrs. Dr. McCormack. At this point a recess was taken until one o'clock.

The first business upon reassembling was the report of the committee on resolutions which was written by John P. St. John and was unanimously adopted without discussion, as follows:

The Prohibition party of Kansas in delegate convention assembled indorse the platform of principles adopted by the National Committee at Indianapolis, Ind., May 30, 1888, and thereby heartily ratify the nomination of Clinton B. Fish and John A. Brooks as our standard bearers, and declare:

First-We recognize Almighty God as the rightful sovereign of nations and peoples from whom all just powers of good are derived, and with whose laws all human enactments should square as the only safety, happiness and proserity for mankind.

Second-We demand the absolute prohibition of the importation, exportation transportation, manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages as public crimes, to be punished as such, so that our homes shall be protected and our Covernment relieved of the disgrace that now rests upon it by reason of being in partnership with

Third-The waste of the liquor traffic, the burdens of the war tariff, the robbery of monopolics and extortionate rates of interest are the great causes that constitute the chief burdens which beset the American laborer and destroy the happiness of the American home, and the Prohibition party, as the champion of the home, is the only party in the Nation which courage ously and unequivocally demands the removal of these burdens in order that these homes may become prosperous, moral and happy,

Fourth-We believe that there is imperative need of the active and direct participation of women in American politics. Our cause is the cause of humanity and civilization. Men and women can have no separate interests in such a course. The preservation of our Nation depends upon the good and pure women beside the conscientious and noble men of our country, that their united and utmost efforts may be brought to bear upon the vice, the corruption and injustice which threaten to engulf our land. Now, as ever before, the Prohibition party accords to women perfect equality of rights and privileges, and we believe in and will earnestly work for their entire enfranchisement, and to this end we demand an amendment to both State and Federal Consti-

Fifth-We favor such a tariff as may be neces sary to protect infant industries and to amply meet the needs of government but declare that protection is a failure if industries begun under Washington ninety years ago with an eight per cent. tariff now require a 47 per cent. protection. We are, therefore, opposed to our present high tariff as an unjust burden upon the people. under which oppressive monopolies have been created and are new protected, millionaires multiplied and an army of tramps beg for bread, while more than \$125,000,000 of surplus revenue, which ought to be in the hands of the people from whom it was taken, is locked up in the United States treasury. We therefore demand that this surplus revenue shall be wholly released by a revision of our tariff laws, so as to remove the burdens of tariff taxation from the food, fuel, clothing and lumber consumed by the people, and that luxuries, as distinguished from the necessaries of life, be made to bear the expense of government, and we denounce the policy of the Republican party which proposes to repeal the tax upon tobacco, whisky nd beer rather than the surrender of any part of the high tariff tax imposed upon the necessaries of life required by the people.

Sixth-That labor being the basis of all wealth, it should be fully protected and we are uncompromisingly opposed to that system which has flooded our country with the seum of foreign lands, with which our own industrial classes are forced to compete.

Seventh-That arbitration is the Christian. wise and economical method of settling national differences and the same method should by indicial legislation be applied to the settlement of disputes between large bodies of employes and their employers; that the abolition of the between \$20,000 and \$25,000. saloon would remove the burdens, moral, physical, pecuniary and social, which now oppress labor and rob it of its earnings, would prove to be a wise and successful way of promoting labor reform, and we invite labor and capital to unite with us for the accomplishment therpof: that a monopoly in land is wrong to the people and the public yesterday afternoon in the Blue near the vinced that they were either some of tands should be reserved to actual settlers and Milwaukee round house. James Chaney, men and women should receive equal wages for sixteen years of age, while diving from a

ernment shall, by equitable and lawful means. diving. Both boys were stunned, and their

earnings of capital shall not exceed the average agod to reach the shore. net earnings of agriculture and labor. Tenth-We favor such a change in our present system as shall provide for the election of a

land should be so limited as to preserve a reasonable amount for the citizen and prevent the further acquisition of large bodies by corporations and individual speculators

Twelfth-That we are in favor of the enact ment by Congress of a general pension law by which all honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the Union who are so far disabled by wounds and disease as to be incapacitated for making a living may be placed upon the pension roll without regard to whether such disability was contracted while in the service or since his discharge therefrom. provided such disability was not the result of culpable ne ligence, recklessness or procurement of the applicant, but we are opp sed to the enactment of special pension laws and believe the practice has led to great abuse and widespread demoralization in Congress and the country and we are opposed to discriminations in pensions and hold that each honorably discharged Union soldier or sailor is entitled to exactly the same pension for the

same class of disability without regard to rank. Thirteenth-That as under the Constitution and laws of the State all errors and irregularities of the inferior courts may be corrected by proper proceedings in the Supreme Court, a tribunal composed entirely of Republicans, the action of Governor Martin in exercising resolutions and its chairman was carried executive elemency to release convicted liquor seliers who have not sought a review of their cases in the Supreme or other proper court for the correction of errors, is an at chairman introduced Mrs. M. M. Brown, of tempt to destroy the confidence of the people in the courts, thereby inciting to lawlessness and disobedience of public authority, and such conduct on the part of the Governor, under solemn oath to obey the Constitution and en. force the laws, merits and deserves the condemnation of all citizens irrespective of party amiliation and regardless of personal views as to the policy of prohibition.

The platform was adopted with three cheers, and a resolution heartily indorsing John P. St. John's course throughout the past and for all future time was adopted amid great enthusiasm.

The following ticket was nominated. each candidate being named by acclamation except the one for Superintendent of Public Instruction: Governor, Rev. J. D. Dodge, of Ottawa, D. W. Henderson, of Botkin, of Wichita; Lieutenant-Governor, R. J. Finley, of Abilene; Secretary of State, L. K. McIntyre, of Dodge City; Treasurer, R. M. Slonecker, of Anderson; Auditor, Gabriel Burdette (colored), of Marshall County; Attorney-General, General Stanton A. Hyer, of McPherson.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction Mrs. A. L. Diggs, of Lawrence, Mrs. S. S. Weatherby, Buell Davis, of Harper County, and Sarah A. Brown, of Douglas County, were placed in nomination. The contest finally narrowed down to Miss Brown | hold and fell back upon the deck of the and Mrs. Weatherby, the former being the schooner. The Fulda passed on, although he said in his letter he would write soon again

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, J. O. Pickering was nominated by for help, sprang into the rigging. Their acclamation.

The following electors were chosen: At large, W. H. Ransom, of Sedgwick, and Rev. J. H. Byers, of Emporia; First district, Dr. J. W. Scholer, Hiawatha; Second, Dr. W. H. Lemon, Johnson; Third, Miles Brown; Fourth, J. H. Thompson, Butler; Fifth, Charles Fairfield, Ottawa County: horrified witnesses of the disaster, Sixth, Rev. C. H. St. John; Seventh, William M. Friedly.

LARD INVESTIGATION.

The Sub-Committee Preparing a Very Stringent Bill to Regulate the Manufacture of Lard.

WASHINGTON, July 18 .- A House Com-It is reported that the sub-committee which has had charge of the subject, is about ready to report to the whole commit- North German Lloyd line in this city, tee a very stringent bill which will pro- says that the report of the collision on pose that the lard manufacturers be placed | Saturday morning off the Banks of Newunder a sort of police espionage and that foundland between the steamer Fulda special agents or inspectors shall be sta- and an unknown fishing schooner, was tioned at each manufactory to inspect the grossly exaggerated. Captain Ringk product. Should such a report be made to made a report of the accident, stating the whole committee there is not much that his vessel struck the schooner in a doubt but that it will be favorably report- dense fog, carrying away her bowsprit. ed to the House. It is the purpose of the This was all the damage done, the Capmanufacturers of this American com- tain states, and the hull was not touched. pounded lard, in event that the House Passengers on deck of the steamer at the Committee shall take a favorable action on | time grew excited and threw a number of the restrictive bill indicated to take with life-preservers overboard, but this prethem to Europe all the evidence which was caution was unnecessary. The cause of produced before the two committees of the accident, according to the Captain's Congress, not only relative to the adulter- statement, was the neglect of the fisheration of lard, out to the use of diseased man to sound its bells during the fog. and rejected hogs in the packing of American meats and spread that before the courts in England. Some of the gentlemen here are said to have expressed the opinion that the production of such eviand by taking a revenue from the Nation's dence as taken before a committee of the American Congress would undoubtedly have the effect to secure legislation in Eng. | the Marietta centennial had a jolly reland, France and Germany within a year's | union for an hour this morning before the time, to place an inhibition upon the intro- regular exercises commenced. There duction of American pork. It is difficult were present a great number of very old to see what commercial benefit the manu- persons. Among them were three whose facturers of compounded lard in this coun- ages aggregated three hundred and two try could derive from such a proceeding.

AMERICAN PRISONS.

Paper Showing Native and Foreign Phases of Crime. Boston, July 19 .- At yesterday's meeting of the National Prison Congress Rev. an elaborate paper on American prisons. He said that the increase of crime had Governor Foraker a handsome gavel, been greater among the native population than the foreign, foreign disregard for law Ewing, the president of the day. The disorder than in dishonesty or violence. tennial celebration, and is to be placed The total annual cost of the police depart- in a sealed iron box, there to remain till ments was nearly \$15,000,000, or about \$1,000 the bi-centennial of the origin of civil to each man and officer employed-equiv- government in the Northwest in 1988. and \$2.24 in New York. For the ten largest Ewing, in a very happy way, and declared cities it amounted to \$1.70 per capita and that General Ewing was a "chip of the aggregated \$8,500,000. The revenues derived by municipalities from licenses to lers the mantle of his distinguished sell liquor might be estimated at \$1,500,000, father had fallen. or one-tenth of the total cost of the police departments. The number of liquor saloons in these 492 towns was about 80,000, or one to every 160 persons.

Fire at Leavenworth. started yesterday morning in the north-Byrns, on South Fifth street, in the old frame skating rink. An effort to stamp it out failing, the department was called, There were special excursions to the which, though prompt, was unable to Ewing meeting, and the audience, of save the horses, of which thirty-five were liberated, but seventeen were burned, the flames raging flercely in the north end of the building and the smoke being so dense as to prevent any one from saving the horses quartered there. Two young ladies, Miss Lou Green and Nellie Jones, who were passing in a street car, noticed the flames, rushed from the car and distinguished themselves by leading out a couple of fine horses. The Chicago on the charge of being concerned loss will fall very heavy upon Mr. Byrns, in a new dynamite plot, Johan Most His insurance, as far as known, is only seemed surprised, but said that he did \$2,400. The building was owned by Mrs. not believe it was true. "When police-E. J. Byington, and the amount of in-men discover so-called dynamite plots," surance was \$5,500. The total loss was be continued, "it is safe to assume that

Strangely Drowned. Chambers, the thirteen-year-old son of T. | the public buildings in Chicago if I would C. Chambers, real estate dealer, living at sanction such a proceeding. Of course, I Eighth-We demand that the General Gov- just as he was rising to the surface after spring board, struck Chambers on the head own and operate all railways and telegraphs in scalps were laid open to the skull. Cham-Ninth-We demand that interest be so regu- bers sank to the bottom like a stone and lated by National law that the average net did not rise again. Chancy barely man-

Highwayman Captured. HELENA, M. T., July 19 .- Ten days ago President, Vice-President and United States a stage was robbed by one man on the

RUN LOWN AND SUNK.

Fishing Schooner Reported to Have Been Run Down and Sunk by the Steamship Fulda, During a Heavy Fog, Off the Banks of Newfoundland-All Hands Supposed to be Lost.

New York, July 19 .- The North German Lloyd steamship Fulda, which arrived Tuesday from Bremen, ran down an unknown fishing schooner on the banks of Newfoundland last Saturday morning. A dense fog prevailed at the time, and the schooner disappeared astern almost immediately after the collision. Boats put out in search of her, but as she was not found it is feared that she was lost with all hands. Captain Ringk of the Fulda and his officers say that they were taking all the precautions usual in foggy weather when the schooner was run down. Early Saturday morning, when it became very foggy, several fishvessels seen, and were it was supposed that there were others at anchor in the neighborhood. The steamer then proceeded at half speed, and the vessel could be made to answer her of the prosecution. helm, or the engines could be reversed, the Fulda was upon the fishing vessel. The latter, with some sixteen dories near her, lay at anchor with her sails furled, and with her bows toward the steamship. A man on her deck was trantically blowing a fog horn. Another man was yelling down into the cabin to warn the crew men sprang from the door of the companionway and looked up in a terrified manner at the huge bows of the great steam-

An instant later there was a crash. The schooner's bowsprit was snapped off and the vessel was thrown violently to one side. Her entire crew, which appeared to number about twenty men, were on deck, clinging to the rigging. One man, wearing a red cap, cried out, "Holy Marie", and then, springing from the deck of the schooner, caught the side of the Fulda, up which he attempted to crawl. An instant later he relaxed his choice of the convention by a vote of 69 to her engines had been reversed, and a He says they are getting on to him. heavy wave swept over the schooner. The majority of her erew, uttering cries vessel seemed, to those on the steamer, to be sinking lower into the water. .

As soon as possible, the Fulda put about and boats were cleared away and lowered into the water. For nearly an | member of the Brotherhood, was the next hour the boats groped about in the fog. The passengers, many of whom had been watched hopefully for the rescue of the fishermen, but no traces of the schooner of the twenty men belonging to her were found. At length the boats returned to him to do any thing in regard to the use the steamer, which slowly proceeded on her course. The lost ressel was probably good effect. After the meeting was over a French fisherman. A few of the passengers expressed the hope that some of the fishermen might have been saved by him that I knew how to use it; that I had mittee has been investigating the subject other vessels, but the officers of the Fulda seen it used in the gravel pit. He wanted

Gustav H. Schwab, a gentleman of the

PIONEERS' DAY.

Notable Gathering of Pioneers at the Marietta Celebration - General Ewing the Orator of the Day.

MARIETTA, O., July 18 .- The pioneers at years. There are more persons over eighty years of age in this, the first county of the Northwest Territory, than in any other county in the West. The early part of the day being given up to an informal reception for old people, brought together a remarkable gathering of silver-haired men and women. Mayor Coulter wel-Fred P. Wines, the secretary, presented comed the pioneers of the Northwest to the city in a short speech, and handed which he presented to General Thomas showing itself far more in immorality and zavel was the gift of the Women's Cen-

alent to a per capita tax of 12 cents. In General Ewing, after accepting the gavel, the larger cities it was much higher, was introduced by Hon. George M. Woodamounting to \$2.70 per capita in Boston bridge, who eulogized his father, Senator old block," upon whose capable shoul-

General Ewing wore a cluster of buckeyes in his button-hole and sat on a chair lavishly trimmed with buckeyes. His audience was a splendid one and had in it the greatest number of descendants of the colonists who came LEAVENWORTH, Kan., July 20 .- Fire to Ohio in 1788 that could be brought together. The name of Ewing is one that west part of the large livery barn of Clark is widely known in the West, and there was a great desire to hear the representative of the family speak here to-day. course, was a great one. The thorough and brilliant speech of General Ewing was happily supplemented by an ede written for the occasion by Rev. W. L. Lee, of St. Louis, who is among the sweet-

est of Western singers. Most and the Dynamite Plot. NEW YORK, July 18.-When told that certain Anarchists had been arrested at the policemen themselves are the authors of the exploits. Several times during the past few months strangers have come into KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 19.-Murray my office and have offered to blow up all Pinkerton's men or disguised policemen."

> General Sheridan's Malady Pronounced Incurable.

Boston, July 18 .- A special from Nonquitt, Mass., to the Herald says: General building, 156 Wabash avenue, occupied as Sheridan continues comfortable. His a piano warehouse and salesroom by Ju stomach is still a source of trouble and lius Bauer. Notwithstanding the efforts causes some anxiety. He is blessed with of the firemen the destruction of the build a voracious appetite, and if permitted the indulgence would so overload his digestive organs as to seriously affect the general tone of his health. It is not true that he is affected with cirrhosis of the liver.

His loss is put at \$125,000, partly covered by \$100,000 insurance. Bauer's stock was he is affected with cirrhosis of the liver.

Who ore declared, after his release by sudge Guthrie, that he would not attempt to evade the officers, and that he could be found at the Copeland, he has disappeared Senators by a direct vote of the people.

Eieventh—That we are opposed to the acquisition of landed estates by persons not izens of the United States, or who have not under oath, made bona fide declaration of their intention to become such, and we believe the time has come when ownership of

THE BURLINGTON DYNAMITERS.

Sensation in the Chicago Court Room-One of the Prisoners a Detective in Disguise-An Informer's Testimony. CHICAGO, July 19 .- The greatest crowd ret assembled to witness the court proceedings against the Burlington dyna-

miters was present yesterday. Further examination of Informer Alexander Smith was waived. Then John Wilson, one of the men arrested with Broderick and Bowles as an arch-conspirator and as a Brotherhood man, coolly left his seat in the group of which Broderick and Bauereisen were members, walked to the side of the room where the prosecuting attorneys sat and took a chair beside Mr. Dawes, with whom he began to chat in a friendly manner. Then it was developed that he was not an engineer, not a Brotherhood men and not even Wilson, but John Mulligan, a Pinkerton detective, who had gained the confidence of all the prisoners and their attorneys.

The expose was brought about by the lawyers too closely pressing the cross-exsounded her fog whistles at regular in- amination of Superintendent McGinn of tervals. The men on lookout were in- the Pinkerton agency, who was on the structed to keep a careful watch for fish- | witness stand, and had the alternative of ing craft. At half-past nine o'clock the an awkward refusal to answer pertinent outlines of a fishing schooner suddenly questions or cause Wilson to show up in appeared in the fog directly ahead. The true colors. He chose the latter, and Wilschooner was instantly reported to the son or Mulligan, obeyed a signal and officer in charge of the watch, but before | quickly walked across the room to the side

When the commotion had subsided Superintendent McGinn related the circumstances of Broderick, one of the conspirators, throwing a mysterious letter out of the car window at the time of his arrest and the subsequent recovery of the letter. Broderick's motive in ridding himself of the missive and the extreme secretiveness of their danger. In an instant, several of the officials in guarding its contents is not apparent. It is as follows:

Tom Brederick: Dear Sir and Brother: iu-t received a letter from Bowles from Glenwood Junction, Mo., and I don't know w ere to write to him so he will get my letter. You should have made arrangements with him when he was at Creston. I will let you know if I can get him as soon as cossible. Let me know where to address you every time you write. I will always write to the comb man and you con get your mail from there: that is the surest way. I will direct to you in care of them and tell them to return the letter if you have left there. I will try to find J. A. B. as soon as I can and get him to work. If you hea of him tell him to come to Aurora, unless you want him with you. Your hard striker, J. A. BAUEREISEN. P. S .- May be . Bowies is gone to Brookfield;

The letter was written on one of the Brotherhood letterheads, was dated at Aurora, June 20, and was addressed to "Tom Broderick, Kansas City, Mo."

Bowles, the engineer who accepted work from the Burlington Company after the strike began and subsequently became a witness of importance. He began by telling of a secret meeting of the Brotherhood in Aurora, saying: "Chief Bauereisen made a statement that we should do something; that the company was getting ahead of us. He said it would not do for of dynamite, but it could be used with some conversation passed between him and myself and I made the statement to and get it. He gave me \$7.50 to get it. lost art. The three men arrested conhim I thought I could. He told me to go That was two weeks after I was initiated. I was initiated April 22. Gooding, one of the defendants, was among those at the

meeting." The informer then told of his expeditions to Indiana country towns to purchase dynamite, and how Bauereisen had sent him with it to George Clark, of Galesburg, leading engineer, who was arrested Tuesday. They went out together to place it on the track and it was some of this dynamite that Bowles buried and which was dug up.

Telling of his talk with Bauereisen about the explosion on the "Q" track near Aurora, the witness said that Bauereisen said it would have a good effect. "He told me," continued he, "that in a certain part of the town there was a frame house and that under it was a sewer running across the street. The house was a 'scab' boarding house and was filled with scabs. Bauereisen wanted Alec Smith and me to get under the house by the sewer and place a bomb there and blow up that house. I told would not do it."

NEW JERSEY'S DAY.

Two Men Hanged For Killing Women in New Jersey. FREEHOLD, N. J., July 18.-Richard Kearney was hanged in the county jail yard at 11:06 this morning. He was the murderer of Mrs. Margaret Purcell, housekeeper in the family of the late D niel R. Lyddy, of Elberon, whom he flung down stairs because she resisted his advances.

ANOTHER HANGING. JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 18.-Henry Conrad Ebert was hanged in the county jail at 10:13 this morning. When the trap was sprung the knot slipped around under the jaw and disarranged the cap so that Ebert's face was exposed to view as he slowly strangled to death. The body will be cremated. He murdered his wife because she refused to give him \$1,500 belonging to his stepdaughter, her child by former husband.

Notorious Outlaw Killed. CLARKSVILLE, Ark., July 19 .- News has reached this city of the killing of Wash Middleton, the most noted outlaw of Northwest Arkansas. About six months ago he was captured in Missouri, tried and conescaped and started for Newton County, this State, his old home. He was pursued by two officers, who overtook him a short answered by opening fire on them, Of these three one had naturalization killing both of them instantly. A large reward was then offered for the outlaw, dead or alive, and a young man named Small, of Springfield, followed him to Jasper, Newton County, at which place he papers were made out in the county clerk's overtook him, and at a picnic called on office in Passaic County, N. J. An examihim to throw up his hands. Middleton nation was begun before the United St tes attempted to draw a weapon and was shot had killed over twenty-five men in this sale county clerk here to testify as to the and surrounding counties.

Florida Waterspout.
St. Augustine, Fla., July 18.—Late yesterday afternoon some boatmen observed a large waterspout in the ocean opposite North Beach. An hour later with a terrible roar it crossed the beach into the bay. It came directly toward thes town. People on the bay were badly frightened and desomewhat diminished, struck the steamer

in the river. A Chicago Blaze. CHICAGO, July 18.—This morning about eleven o'clock flames were discovered on one of the upper floors of the five-story ing and its contents was complete by noon.
The building was owned by John Dekoven Musical Company had \$25,000 worth of goods in the building. There and \$5,000 worth of automatic musical contrivances owned by Pfeidner Pfat & Co. were burned. ACTIVE ANARCHISTS.

Three Bohemians Arrested at Chicago and a Diabolical Plot Unearthed-Extensive Conspiracy to Blow Up Residences and Murder Prominent Citizeus-What the Police Found.

CHICAGO, July 18.-In a small frame house in the vicinity of Ashland avenue and Thirty-third street yesterday morning were found twelve dynamite bombs, a revolver and a knife, and as the owner of the articles stepped to the sidewalk he was arrested by Inspector Bonfield in person and taken to the police station. Two other arrests were made later. When questioned as to what the prisoners intended to do Bonfield confined himself to saying: "There was a conspiracy of long standing and it was about to be put into execution. They intended to use the dvnamite on Judge Gary, Judge Grinnell and myself. The chief prisoner is an old time Anarchist and was prominent in the schemes of Haymarket times." Before making the first arrest Bonfield

had the house surrounded by five picked officers, and just as daylight was breaking was joined by a stranger. A few moments later a man emerged from the house, when the stranger nudged Bonfield and an order was given to the officers who closed on the man. He made a desperate fight, but was quickly overpowered and placed in charge of two of the officers. Bonfield and the other officers then rushed into the house. They were met on the stairs by the wife of the man who had been captured, but she was brushed aside and the police, guided by the stranger, entered a hall bedroom where, hidden in a corner, the inspector found an even dozen dynamite cartridges wrapped in brown paper. A further search of the room disclosed, hidden in the bed. a large revolver, a dagger, some bundles of letters and other papers which were also taken care of by the police. Then a patrol wagon was called and the prisoner was taken to the station.

The officers next went to a house some 3016 Quinn street. Here two other arrests mined murderers were in the conspiracy, and they were, at a certain hour after midnight, to be at the homes of Grinnell, Gary, of Trade was to be blown up at the same time and a wholesale reign of terror inaugurated.

The names of the men arrested are John Hronek, Frank Chapek and Frank Chebowa, all Bohemians. The first named is a cabinet maker by trade, living on Farrell street, and Chebowa is a tailor and is the informer who told the story of the plot to a Bohemian, who in turn detailed it to Inspector Bonfield about ten days ago. It seems that since the execution of the Anarchists a movement has been started among their followers in Chicago to do business at the old stand. It was concluded that the groups as reorganized were to have no more than three members. With each of the three not acquainted with the others who composed the group when formed it was thought that "squealing" in the ranks in the future would stituted a group, and in the hands of these was left the pleasant occupation of blowing up residences until the act of last November was considered fully wiped out in blood. The group had no regular place of meeting, but casually met as friends and over a glass of beer concocted their bloody schemes. It was agreed that Grinnell's house should go up first and Judge Gary's next. Last Saturday night was the time set for carrying out the plot. Inspector Bonfield was the third man doomed to die, but just how had not been decided upon. July 4 Hronek examined the premises of Judge Grinnell with a view to

When he reported to his companions that night the enormity of the offense began to dawn upon Chebowa, who finally made up his mind to ask a friend for advice. The latter hurried to the police department and told his story. In the houses of the three men numerous weapons were found and enough dynamite to have blown up the largest building in the city.

him that that would be murder and I it has been ascertained that twenty members of the Central Labor Union, which interested itself with money and sympathy for the Anarchists during their trial. The detectives are firm in the belief that the present plot will implicate the entire brood of Anarchists. Some of the early plans of the friends of the dead Anarchists have been in the possession of the police for some time, and yesterday's develscheme and plans of the plotters. In the ramifications of the plots are included as proposed victims Edmund Furthman, Stone, Witness Seliger and the jurors who convicted the Anarchists.

THE CHINESE QUESTION. It Comes Up at Plattsburg, N. Y., in a Peculiar Manner.

PLATTSEURG, N. Y., July 17 .- The arrest here by the customs authorities of three Chinaman on their way from China to New York has raised a question of great importance. Large numbers of Chinamen have entered the United States by the Delaware & Hudson River railroad this year, and up victed of manslaughter and sentenced to to the present time all had certificates. A twenty-one years in the penitentiary, but party who came from China via Vancouver and the Canadian Pacific railroad boarded a train at Montreal on Friday bound for Plattsburg. distance this side of Springfield and The customs officials found that called on him to surrender. He all but three of them had had certificates. papers showing him to be a citizen of the United States while the other two had papers showing that they had declared their intention of becoming citizens. The Commissioner to-day, but was adjourned dead. He was a man fifty years old and until Thursday, in order to bring the Pasgenuineness of the paper.

> The Moore-Norton Case. the writ of habeas corpus and immediately re-arrested by the constable for adultery. Bond was fixed at \$500, which he gave, and his case was set for next Monday.

from Topeka say that notwithstanding Moore declared, after his release by Judge evade the officers, and that he could be found at the Copeland, he has disappeared and nobody seems to know his where-abouts. Mrs. Norton is also reported missing from the hotel. Their attorneys say THE GENERAL MARKETS.

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distance away, which it is supposed was were made and all three captives taken to the central station. Bonfield is reported to have said privately that the plot was a well arranged one. About twenty deter-Bonfield, Frank Walker, General Stiles and others prominent in the prosecution of the Anarchists. Dynamite was to be placed beneath the houses, and the bombs were to be touched off simultaneously. The Board

learning the habits of its occupants.

pounds of dynamite were distributed June 3 among many of the old Anarchists. It is claimed that much of it can be traced to opments are expected to lay bare the entire Captain Shaack, Frank Walker, M. E.

Protective Prize Essays. New York, July 17 .- The American Protective Tariff League announces the following awards of prizes for seniors of American colleges for essays on "Home protection indispensable to a supply at low prices of the manufactured commodities required for the people of the United States serted their houses and hundreds sought and adequate home production of these safety in flight. The waterspout, though commodities impossible without a protective tariff." C. D. Todd, University of Spring Garden, anchored by the sea wall, Wooster, O., first, \$250; S. P. King, Uniand tore the upper works and smoke stack | versity of Kansas, Lawrence, second, \$100; away, smashed in the roof and Lincoln Hulley, Bucknell University, windows and crushed in the side of an Lewisburg Pa., third, \$50. Ten silver ice house. It then crossed the town, going medals were awarded for excellence. the committee.

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